

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

1.     **(Original)** A process for the dispersion of water-soluble or hydrophilic substances in a fluid at supercritical pressure by addition of a surfactant, said surfactant being a block copolymer comprising at least one CO<sub>2</sub>-philic block and at least one nonionic hydrophilic block.
  2.     **(Original)** The process as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the fluid at supercritical pressure is CO<sub>2</sub>.
  3.     **(Original)** The process as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the fluid at supercritical pressure is CO<sub>2</sub> comprising an entrainer in an amount of less than 5%.
  4.     **(Original)** The process as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the CO<sub>2</sub>-philic block is chosen from the group consisting of polymers which are soluble in CO<sub>2</sub> at supercritical pressure.
- 5.-28. **(Canceled)**